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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I have a local independent provider ( LMI) of internet access in Berkeley, California. They have asked me to write to you to continue to allow small providers access to customers. I am in agreement with them. They feel that the major providers such as A T & T are trying to create a monopoly on internet provision and if this is the case I agree with them.

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